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SIR:

Under the provisions of 37 CFR § 1.41 (c), I am filing the attached application with specification, 16 claims, 2 sheets of drawings, an unexecuted declaration, a Certified copy of a German Application No. 103 12 451.9 filed March 20, 2003, and filing fee on behalf of HEINZ HAHN and VOLKER MATSCHL and request that the application papers be assigned a serial number and filing date.

On behalf of the inventors, I hereby claim priority from German Application No. 103 12 451.9 of March 20, 2003 and German Application No. 10 2004 006 286.2 of February 9, 2004.

I request that the application be assigned a Serial No. and Filing Date pursuant to the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) and 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(f).

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